

## DISASTER NEWS

Loans for Homeowners, Renters and Businesses of All Sizes
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## SBA Extends Disaster Outreach Centers Operation in Kent and New Castle Counties

ATLANTA –The U.S. Small Business Administration announced today that the Disaster Loan Outreach Centers in Kent and New Castle counties will remain open until the close of business Oct. 20. Survivors affected by Hurricane Irene are encouraged to visit the Centers to apply for disaster assistance.

The Centers are located in the following communities and the hours of operation are as indicated below:

## **NEW CASTLE COUNTY**

New Castle County James H. Gilliam Building

77 Reads Way

**New Castle Corporate Commons** 

New Castle, DE 19720

Hours: Tuesday, Oct. 11 - Thursday, Oct. 20

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 15, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Closed: Sunday, Oct. 16

Closing: Thursday, Oct. 20 at close of business

## **KENT COUNTY**

County Emergency Services Building

911 Public Safety Boulevard

Dover, DE 19901

**Hours**: Tuesday, Oct. 11 - Thursday, Oct. 20

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 15, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Closed: Sunday, Oct. 16

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Individuals and businesses unable to visit one of the Centers may obtain information on loan applications by calling the SBA's Customer Service Center at 800-659-2955 (800-877-8339 for the deaf and hard-of-hearing) or by sending an email to <u>disastercustomerservice@sba.gov</u>. Loan applications can also be downloaded from the SBA website at <u>www.sba.gov</u>. Completed applications should be returned to one of the Centers or mailed to U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

Those affected by the disaster may also apply for disaster loans electronically from SBA's website at https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/.

The filing deadline to return applications for physical property damage is **November 28, 2011.** The deadline to return economic injury applications is **June 29, 2012.** 

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